



National Weather Service

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August 2001

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TEXAS, North

Mclennan County

Bellmead	06	1730CST			0	0	3K		Thunderstorm Wind
Metal roofing was blown onto a transmitter, resulting in a power failure for several hours. The roofing was blown down by high thunderstorm winds.									

Tarrant County

Bedford	06	1900CST			1	0			Lightning
A man was struck by lightning and died the morning of the 7th. M18OU									

Tarrant County

Azle	10	1315CST			0	1			Lightning
A man was struck by lightning at the Cross Timbers golf course and was in serious condition with burns on his head and shoulders.									

Denton County

3 N Justin	10	1427CST			0	0	30K		Thunderstorm Wind (G78)
A downburst from a severe thunderstorm blew two airplane hangars off their foundations, destroyed an recreational vehicle storage building, did minor damage to three aircraft, and minor wind damage to other structures.									

Denton County

6 SW Lewisville	10	1500CST			0	0	70K		Lightning
Lightning started a fire in Flower Mound.									

August 6th-18th Episode Narrative

Thunderstorms developed in the afternoon heat across north Texas. Due to the high temperatures, downburst winds were the main problem and they caused damage in some locations. Lightning was another problem with several strikes hitting people and property

During the second half of the month, north Texas experienced very "unsummer-like" weather, as a series of low pressure systems parked over the region. Rain, thunderstorms, and cooler than normal conditions resulted. Wind and hail damage was reported across portions of north Texas.

Coryell County

Copperas Cove	13	1600CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Two trees were blown down by high winds.									

Parker County

Weatherford	15	1900CST			0	0	1K		Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
A small barn was picked up and blown 40 yards.									

Wise County

Chico	15	1900CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
A barn and some power lines were blown down by high winds.									

Parker County

10 S Weatherford	15	2100CST			0	0	50K		Lightning
Lightning started a fire that did 50K in damage in Tin Top.									

Coryell County

Oglesby	16	1730CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Trees and signs were blown down by high winds.									

Mclennan County

West	16	1745CST			0	0	25K		Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
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A mobile home was destroyed by high winds.									
Tarrant County 2 NE Bedford	17	0700CST			0	1			Lightning
An Amercian Airlines worker was struck by lightning. He was treated for burns to his hands and face. This occurred at the D/FW Airport.									
Kaufman County Kemp	18	1429CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Kaufman County 3 SE Kemp	18	1429CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
High thunderstorm winds caused damage to the roofs of a few homes. Trees were blown down onto cars and mobile homes. Other trees and power lines were also blown down.									
Lamar County 6 NE Paris	18	1645CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Lamar County 4 E Paris	18	1654CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Occurred in Reno.									
Lamar County Rockford	18	1655CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
A barn was blown into a road near Rockford									
Lamar County 4 E Paris	18	1705CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Occurred in Reno.									
Lamar County Paris	18	1715CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Lamar County Paris	18	1715CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50)^M
Measured at the ASOS site in Paris.									
Bell County Rogers	26	1636CST			0	0	3K		Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
High thunderstorm winds caused damage to a barn, trees, and power lines. Damage was also done to a church and a home near F.M. 2184 and FM 380.									
Hamilton County Pottsville	28	0800CST			0	0			Flash Flood
Cowhouse Creek was out of its banks at Pottsville. Pottsville had 5.5 inches of rain during the early morning.									
Mclennan County Waco	28	0930CST			0	0			Flash Flood
Three streets were closed due to high water.									
Hamilton County Hamilton	28	1100CST			0	0			Flash Flood
Water was two feet deep over farm to market roads west of the city. Indian Gap had 8 inches of rain during the morning.									
Bell County Killeen	29	0805CST			0	0			Flash Flood
Flooding was reported in Killeen and Nolanville, with some families evacuated.									

August 28-31 Episode Narrative

After numerous days of rain, flash flooding became a problem around the end of the month. Additional rain fell on already saturated



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Bell County 3 SE Killeen	30	1023CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Several roads were under water in Harker Heights.								
Bell County Temple	30	1023CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Several roads were closed due to high water.								
Bell County Pendleton	30	1038CST			0	0		Flash Flood
F.M. 1237 between Pendleton and S.H. 317 was under water.								
Bell County 1 S Troy	30	1038CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Water was 3 feet deep on I-35.								
Bell County Temple	30	1050CST			0	0		Flash Flood
I-35 at exit 306 and Baker Blvd. was closed due to high water.								
Bell County Temple	30	1130CST			0	0		Flash Flood
The Bird Creek Mobile Home Park was evacuated and numerous homes were evacuated. The Red Cross opened two shelters								
Bell County 8 N Belton	30	1143CST			0	0		Flash Flood
60 percent of the streets in Morgan Point were closed due to high water.								
Kaufman County Terrell	30	1210CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Several streets were closed due to high water.								
Bell County Countywide	30	1645CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Numerous creeks out of banks, some bridges washed out, and roads under water. Motorists were stranded on Interstate 35 across the county. Interstate 35 near Troy was closed most of the day with water 10 feet deep in some spots								
Milam County 10 NW Cameron	30	1800CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Two farm to market roads were closed near Yarrelton.								
Milam County 5 N Cameron	30	2107CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Several county and farm to market roads north and northwest of Cameron were closed due to high water. The roads remained closed through the early morning of the 31st.								
Tarrant County Mansfield	31	1315CST			0	0	50K	Flash Flood
Highway 287 was closed and all streets in town were flooded. The Silver Leaf Mobile Home Park was flooded. Mansfield reported 4 inches of rain in 3 hours.								
Tarrant County Grand Prairie	31	1329CST			0	0		Flash Flood
Cars at the intersection of Highway 360 and Camp Wisdom were flooded.								
Dallas County Cedar Hill	31	1335CST			0	0		Flash Flood



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TEXAS, North

Some streets were closed due to high water.

Dallas County
Duncanville

31 1335CST

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Flash Flood

Some streets were closed due to high water.